

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

1. Orix, French str. 1898, Delacroix, Shanghai 20th November, General—
MESSAGERIIS MARITIMES.

2. 1. MODOC, American bark, 430, R. Bosch, Newchwang 17th Nov., Beans—CHINESE.

2. HATAY, British str., 1782, S. Ashton, Foochow 23th Nov., Amoy 30th, and Swatow 1st Dec., General.—DORSEAN LAFRAIK

2. **TRIUMPH**, German steamer, 675 *g*. J. Bruhn,
 Wilhelmstr. 22, Despatcher, General.—W. &
 C. MARTY.
 3. **LOVATIE**, British bark, 783 *t*. T. McG.
 Evans, Chelso 22nd Nov., General.—Gus.
 4. **INTEREST**, British steamer, 3400 *w*. W.
 H. May, Port Hamilton 29th October.

CLEARANCES.
 AT THE MARBOUS MASTER'S OFFICE,
 22, DESPATCHER.

1. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Katoctoy,
 2. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Surabaya,
 3. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Koba,
 4. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Bangkok,
 5. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Saigon,
 6. **LOVATIE**, British bark, for Amoy.

DEPARTURES.
 1. **FOKLEN**, British steamer, for Swatow,
 2. **NORSTEN**, German steamer, for Whampoa,
 3. **NORSTEN**, German steamer, for Katoctoy,
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British steamer *Haitan*, from Foochow
Nov. Amoy 90th, and Swatow lat Dec.
Night N. and N.E. winds and the weather to
be fair. The trade N.E. wind is fresh
and fine weather. From Swatow to port
N.E. winds and fine weather. In Foochow
the weather is *Heddy* in Swatow
the weather is *Woon* in Hongkong, *Choy*,
and German steamers *Edicte* and *Tai-
ting*.

AMOY SHIPPING.

AMBOY ARRIVAL.

Smith, British str., from Kelang
Fokita, British str., from Tamsui.
Palamed, British str., from Hongkong.
Palas, British str., from Hongkong.
Hailong, British str., from Pusan.
Zafro, British str., from Hongkong.
Don Juan, Spanish str., from Hongkong.

AMBOY DEPARTURE.

Haitan, British str., for Foochow.
Nanming, British str., for Straits.
Smith, Chinese str., for Hongkong.
Kokoi, Chinese str., for Hongkong.
Palamed, British str., for Shanghai.
Don Justo, Amer. bark, for Hongkong.

SHANGHAI SETTING.
 mba—**ARRIVALS.**
 Kwanglo, Chinese str., from Hongkong.
 Miao, Chinese str., from Chefoo.
 Vividvokos, Russian str., from Nagasaki.
 Hsiao, Chinese str., from Hongkong.
 Inconatst, French str., from Kobe.
 Hsiao, Chinese str., from Hongkong.
 Hai-shin, Chinese str., from Chefoo.
 Hsin Yu, Chinese str., from Tientsin.
 Tiansue, Chinese str., from Hongkong.
 mba—**DEPARTURES.**
 Guy Munamun, Brit. str., for Yokohama.
 Akatsui, Japanese str., for Nagasaki.
 Hsiao, Chinese str., for Tientsin.
 Tientsin, British str., for Swatow.
 Ikin, German-
 str., for Tientsin.
 Kwongson, British str., for Wuhu.
 Pochi, Chinese str., for Swatow.
 Taiwan, British str., for Amoy.
 Can, Chinese str., for Kelang.

VESSELS IN DOCK.
 HERBEN DOCKS.—Kising, Tonghai.
 WILSON DOCKS.—Cheng Hook Kiao,
 Hongkong, Hongkong, Damaulie,
 Peking, Peking, Peking, Peking, Peking.

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argument in support of any one of these opinions. The Hon. P. Ryan, who good naturedly seconded the resolutions, admitted that to a considerable extent they were unnecessary, some of the recommendations they contained having been already adopted. To recommend the Government at the present day to abolish fees of office is indeed quite superfluous.

There are, however, two points embodied in the resolutions which deserve some attention. The first is that instead of personal allowances for length of service or special merit there should be for each office a minimum and maximum salary with a periodical rate of increase; the second, that certain officers should be deferred from promotion, the maximum salary of their office being equivalent to any promotion they might reasonably hope to obtain in the absence of the proposed rule. The idea of a periodical increase is, we think, a good one; it would give men who are more or less of a fixture something to look forward to, and would relieve them from the necessity of applying over and over again for personal allowance, and trying to make influence to secure it. The system has already been adopted in the Victoria College and might with advantage be extended to other departments. Special grants, however, could hardly be done away with altogether, for in the Government service as well as in commercial life special services deserve special recognition. The Secretary of State has pronounced against personal allowances and expressed the opinion that meritorious officers should be rewarded by promotion. But there are cases where a particular officer is so well suited to the office he holds that it is undesirable to remove him, and where the justice of the case cannot be met by a personal allowance.

As to barring the Police Magistrates and the officers of the Supreme Court from promotion, the idea is impracticable. It is suggested that for each office there should be a fixed maximum salary equivalent to any promotion which the holder of the office might reasonably hope to obtain if the rule had not been made. Now each Cader hopes some day to become a Governor like Sir Cecil Smith or, it may be, a Chief Justice like Sir James Fraser, and as positions such as these are prizes which they may all legitimately strive for, the maximum salaries of the offices mentioned in the resolutions would have to be fixed at rather extravagant figures. The object of the proposition to prevent the supposed evils resulting from officers being frequently moved from one appointment to another. No attempt was made by Mr. WATKINSON or Mr. BRYAN to show the nature of these supposed evils or their extent. It must be admitted that there are generally some little inconveniences attending changes, but on the other hand there is not a complete absence of advantages, and if competent officers are to be trained for the higher posts in the service they must be allowed the opportunity of acquiring general experience by working in more than one department. The resolutions did not meet with the unanimous support of the unofficial members, the Hon. J. J. KNEWSTON expressing his dissent from some of the points involved, while the Hon. C. P. CHAN and Hon. Ho KAT spoke neither for nor against, and were not called upon to express their opinion by voting, as the resolutions were not pressed to a division, the mover and seconder being satisfied with the Acting Governor's assurance that he would forward a copy of them to the Secretary of State.

Another point raised by the unofficial members, and on which they were unanimous, was that of the audit. They object to one side of the accounts being sent to London for audit, and no doubt this does seem a very ridiculous proceeding. We shall await with interest the explanation of the why and wherefore which will no doubt be forthcoming in due time from the Treasury officials at home. For the Treasury, we must confess, we have some amount of respect, as being a department in which the interests of the public have been brought to its highest perfection. And whatever may be said against the present system, it must at least be admitted that it cannot be worse than the system it replaced, which seems to have been of absolutely no use whatever.

As to the absurdity of sending accounts to London for audit, of which Mr. WATKINSON speaks, we should imagine that something of the same kind must be done in the case of the bank of which the hon. gentleman is the local manager. We do not feel ourselves in a position to defend the system, but it seems to us to have been condemned in a rather hasty and inconsiderate manner.

An interesting discussion took place on the proposed increase in the pay of the Colonial Chaplain. On the retirement of the present incumbent the congregation will therefore have to support its own minister. The question therefore was whether the Hon. W. J. KNEWSTON should receive an increase of pay like other members of the service, or whether, if an increase were considered necessary, it should not be made up by the voluntary contributions of the congregation. It was decided by a large majority to give the increase, only two voting against it. Looking at it from the personal point of view affecting Mr. J. KNEWSTON, it would certainly have seemed hard if the decision had been other than it was, for the probability of his receiving any increment from the voluntary contributions of his congregation would have been a very remote one. But the chief interest of the debate arose from the incidental bearing it has on the question of the future maintenance of the Church of England service in this colony. It is very evident that the members of that church do not intend to support it at their own cost if they can possibly throw the burden on others, and a petition is, it appears, in course of signature praying for a reversal of the Secretary of State's decision. A similar petition was sent home some years ago, but we believe, did not meet with much success, nor do we think the present one will be any more fortunate. Incidentally it was mentioned in the course of the debate that the Colonial Chaplain received fees. He is now, we believe, the only public servant who does so; and it was put forward, either as a grievance, or as a matter for which merit might be claimed, that sometimes he has to bury people without fees. We fail to apprehend the precise object of

the reference, but it seems to us it might have been in better taste to have omitted it.

The only other point of special interest in connection with the Appropriation Bill was the military contribution, on which the unofficial members had prepared a special report as an addendum to the report of the Select Committee. The report contains nothing new, but presents the case with the simple force of a clear statement of fact, and the unofficial members supported it by voting unanimously for the reduction of the £40,000 by one-half. This proposal was of course defeated by the official majority, but the House Government can hardly fail to pay due respect to such a strong protest. There is not the slightest prospect of the contribution being reduced, but the course taken by the unofficial members may, and we hope will, have the effect of hastening the arrival of the reinforcements for the garrison. Had the increased contribution been asked for on the ground that the colony was not paying its fair share, the question would have had to be argued out on that ground, but since it was asked for and granted on a promise that additional troops should be supplied, the War Office is morally bound to carry out that promise.

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According to the *Shanghai* paper an anonymous donor has given to that city the sum of about \$20,000, to be paid over in ten annual instalments, for the purpose of beautifying the city. The purchase of ground for a public park is advocated by the local Times as one good way of employing the money.

The inaugural meeting of the recently formed Institute of Engineers of Hongkong, held at No. 10, P. M. Street, on the 21st inst., was presided over by Mr. G. D. Gillet, the President of the Association, occupying the chair. The report submitted by the organizing committee was unanimously approved, a copy of the report being given to each member by the President. The report contained a list of the names of the members, and a list of the names of the officers of the Institute. The report also contained a list of the names of the members of the Institute, and a list of the names of the officers of the Institute. The report also contained a list of the names of the members of the Institute, and a list of the names of the officers of the Institute.

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The correspondent of the *Shanghai* writes from Tientsin that the autumn frosts are now over, and very reassuring reports are coming in from Shanghai and the Yellow River, from which region all danger of a famine seems to have disappeared. But the waters recede slowly from the plains of Chihli, because the rains in the autumn have been so scanty. The Chinese, who have left them open to allow the water to run back into the Peiho, and seemingly forgetting that the water from the river can run in any direction.

One of the best entertainments yet given by the *Shanghai* was the performance of the Theatre Royal on Monday night before a fairly large audience, though perhaps not so large as the occasion deserved. The popularity of the piece, "The Mikado," was evident from the fact that the piece was performed with great success, and the audience was much pleased with the performance. The piece was performed with great success, and the audience was much pleased with the performance.

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CHINA EXPORT, IMPORT, and BANK COM-
PANY.
Apply to
CARLOWITZ & CO.,
Hongkong, 1st November, 1899. [2340]

TO LET.

OFFICES at N^o. 17, PRAYA CENTRAL, above
Messrs. DOUGLAS LARPAK & CO.'s
premises.
Apply to
THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-
MENT & AGENCY CO., LD.,
Hongkong, 24th October, 1899. [2105]

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES at WILD DELL BUILD-
INGS, Wanchai Road.
A BUNGALOW and HOUSE on the
BUTTE RICHMOND ROAD.
No. 1, RICHMOND TERRACE, Six Dwell-
ing Rooms, English Kitchen, Port House, Con-
servatory, and well shaded Tennis Lawn.
Apply to
HENRY HUMPHREYS,
Humphreys Estate and
Finance Company, Ltd.
Hongkong, 2nd September, 1899. [1805]

TO LET.

TWO Comfortable and well furnished BED-
ROOMS, with or without board.
No. 25 and 25, Queen's Road East.
Apply to
KOWLOON.
Hongkong, 16th October, 1899. [2252]

TO LET UNFURNISHED.

"KIMBERLEY."
Brilliantly Situated, containing
Drawing-room, two Bed-
rooms, and usual Quarters.
For further particulars apply to
J. M. MARTIN,
2, DUNDALL STREET.
Hongkong, 26th June, 1899. [1480]

TO LET.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, N^o. 3, Wynd-
ham Street, at present in the occupation
of China Mail. Possession from the 1st
November NEXT.
Apply to
DOUGLAS LARPAK & CO.,
Hongkong, 2nd October, 1899. [2157]

TO LET.

N^o. 7 & 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
OFFICES & CHAMBERS in CONNAUGHT
MOUNT, Queen's Road Central.
OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS.
FURNITURE, MAINTENANCE, &c.
No. 4, OLD BAY STREET.
No. 1, GOUGH HILL, "THE PEAK" Fur-
nished.
Apply to
DAVID SASSON, SONS & CO.,
Hongkong, 11th October, 1899. [140]

TO LET.

N^o. 8, LOWER MOSQUE TERRACE.
Apply to
CHAN TAU,
No. 1, Lower Mosque Terrace.
Hongkong, 20th August, 1899. [1868]

TO LET UNFURNISHED.

N^o. 4 & 6, VICTORIA VIEW, containing
Drawing-room, Dining-room, 3 good
bed-rooms, &c. A capital Tennis Ground. The
house has the Harbour, and a splendid
view of Hongkong.
For further particulars apply to
W. R. MARTIN,
2, DUNDALL STREET.
Hongkong, 26th June, 1899. [1489]

TO BE LET.

DESIRABLE OFFICES & GODOWNS,
N^o. 13, PRAYA CENTRAL.
Apply to
STOTTENPORT & HIRST.
Hongkong, 8th October, 1899. [147]

TO LET.

HOUSE N^o. 12, WYNDHAM STREET.
Apply to
J. A. DE CARVALHO,
Hongkong, 1st December, 1899. [2338]

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES at the VICTORIA PEAK
near the Flagstaff. Immediate Possession.
Apply to
E. JONES HUGHES.
Hongkong, 11th June, 1899. [1361]

TO LET.

With Immediate Possession.
GODOWN N^o. 476, in MARQUESS STREET,
WANCHAI.
Apply to
EDUARD SCHELLHASS & CO.,
Hongkong, 22nd October, 1899. [1284]

TO LET.

ORANGE LARPAK, 3, BONKAM ROAD.
Apply to
LINDSEAD & DAVIS.
Hongkong, 21st August, 1899. [1874]

TO LET & FOR SALE.

THE PEAK BUILDING CO., LIMITED.
TO LET.
THREE FIVE-ROOMED HOUSES N^o.
7 & 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE, near Peak
Church. Gas laid on.
Apply to the
SECRETARY,
at Office, 47, Queen's Road Central,
Hongkong, 11th June, 1899. [1365]

TO LET.

THE TOP FLOOR of N^o. 6, IOCHOUER
LAWN, containing of Dining Room, Draw-
ing Room, and Three Bed-Rooms, with Bal-
conies and Servants' Quarters attached. Rent
\$80 per month.
Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,
Hongkong, 25th November, 1899. [2494]

TO BE LET ON SOLD.

On favourable terms with immediate
Possession.
Apply to
JOHN A. JUPP,
THE ARISTON ARMS HOTEL
and BUILDING COMPANY, LD.,
Hongkong, 6th October, 1899. [1538]

TO LET.

RIGHT HOUSES at "MOUNTAIN VIEW,"
Peak District, near Plumstead's Gap.
If sold or let the Purchase money can re-
main on Mortgage.
Apply to
JOHN A. JUPP,
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and BUILDING COMPANY, LD.,
Hongkong, 6th October, 1899. [1538]

TO LET.

HOUSE N^o. 4, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL,
lately occupied by the CHARTERED
BANK OF INDIA. Rent \$500 per month.
For further particulars apply to
TANG YUEN CHEONG,
No. 70, Bridges Street,
Hongkong, 7th November, 1899. [2377]

TO LET.

OFFICES on the SECOND FLOOR of 2,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately occupied
by the New Oriental Bank, also the GROUND
FLOOR of the Building, suitable for Office
or a Store.
Apply to
LINDSEAD & DAVIS.
Hongkong, 1st August, 1899. [1722]

TO LET.

THE PEAK HOTEL and TRADING
COMPANY, LIMITED.
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